

FULLER MURDERERS

Bram and Brown Arraigned at Boston Again To-day.

STORY OF THE COLORED STEWARD

In Private Conversation He Tells of the Suspicious Actions of a Sailor and Says the Trial Will Develop Sensational Features.

Boston, July 28.—The hearing of Bram and Brown, first mate and sailor respectively on the Herbert Fuller, charged with the triple murder on board that vessel on the high seas, and who arrived here yesterday with the rest of the crew and Lester H. Monks, the only passenger on board the barkentine at the time of the tragedy, are again before United States Commissioner Fiske to-day. All of the crew besides the accused are held as witnesses, Mr. Monks being released on his own recognizance.

Story Told by Colored Steward.

While waiting in the marshal's office, Spencer, the colored steward, said in conversation: "I do not think it is fair for people to make so much talk about Monks navigating the ship into Halifax. All I have got to thank him for is that he loaned me his revolver. With that in my possession I was able to do a good deal. Monks had never been on board a ship before and he was sick before he came on board, and seasick after we got outside. The great wonder is that he was able to compose himself at all when he met the mate after leaving the cabin. He had to go through the cabin where the bodies were; he could not help it, but he was afraid to notify me because the mate would not come forward with him. I don't want to say a great deal about this affair at present, but there will be some interesting developments at the trial. I was about the only one that Bram talked much to before the murder and I believe it was all planned beforehand. I know just after leaving the port I was a little worried about my wife, who is in a delicate condition, and one day I told Bram that I had been worrying but that I felt better then. He looked at me and said, 'well, I do not feel happy yet.' That night the murders were committed.

Something To Be Explained.

"There are some things that will have to be explained in connection with Bram and Brown, to show that both did not know what was going to happen. When I went to the little window in the cabin through which Brown claims to have seen the murders committed, I found that the brass bar had been bent and that the curtains were thrown aside. Brown admitted to have done this, and he left the wheel to do it. He could not see what went on in the cabin from where he stood at the wheel. I know, myself, that sometimes when I wanted to see whether the masses was down there I had to put my face down to the glass before I could see anything, and that night the light in the cabin was so dim, as it always was, that nobody could see down there unless they took particular pains to go to the window, push aside the curtains and look down. We kept a close watch on the suspected men the next day, and there is another one of the sailors who may know something about this affair when he is called to testify. This man was on the watch below at the time, and the next day the passenger called my attention to the mate, who took occasion to talk to this sailor through one of the windows of the house. As soon as I saw them I ran over and asked the mate what the matter was. He turned it off by saying the sailor asked him what was to be done, and he had told him they had decided to put Brown in irons.

Speak Well of Monks' Conduct.

"I don't believe that was the subject of their conversation at all and I do not know what to think of that sailor, for he certainly acted queerly. When he saw me with the revolver after the murder he shook like a leaf and looked frightened to death. He asked me if that was the gun the captain had killed himself with, and I said to him 'you know very well he didn't kill himself.' Spencer would not give the name of this sailor. The other men did not have a great deal to say, but seemed to think young Monks had conducted himself well under such terrible circumstances and according to the sailors' stories they all had a hand in navigating the ship and did not require a master after they had got a course to Halifax.

Revealing Statement for June.

Philadelphia, July 28.—The statement of the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad company for June, 1896, shows a profit for the month of \$26,332. From this is deducted payments for equipments, improvement and fixed charges amounting to \$837,024, thus showing a deficit for the month of \$10,672.

Next Return to Germany for Trial.

Washington, July 28.—The state department has issued a warrant of extradition for George Grothausen, now held in New York, for forgery committed in Berlin, Germany.

OUR CONSULAR SERVICE.

Germany Trying To Bring Her System Up to the Standard of the United States.

Washington, July 28.—United States Consul Monaghan at Chemnitz regards this worthy note that, while earnest efforts are being made in the United States to reform the consular service, a movement is afoot in Germany to reform the consular service of that country so as to bring it up to the present efficiency of that of the United States. At the request of the government the Rheinland and Westphalian union for the protection of the empire's industrial interests has handed in an essay, founded upon a thorough investigation, dealing with the necessity of this reform, and suggesting better training of German consuls, especially in the practical school of commerce and traffic. They complain that the present service is too bureaucratic, and that the consuls are not so closely in touch with their people as those of the United States, and that their reports are so delayed as to be of little use. Another report from Mr. Monaghan shows how far behind the United States Europe is in the matter of electrical propulsion of railway cars. He says that the total number of electrical railways, street and others, in Europe went up in 1895 from 70 to 111, and the total length of the lines from 770 to 902 kilometres (a kilo being 3,280 feet). Germany with 406 kilometres leads the list, France comes next with 132 kilometres, England has only 94 and Portugal ends the list with 2.8 kilometres.

CASTLE ISLAND DISASTER.

Historical Society, the Boat Contractor and the City of Boston Held Responsible.

Boston, July 28.—The blame for the Castle Island disaster of June last has been fixed by Judge Fallon of the South Boston municipal court upon the South Boston Historical society, Wm. E. Sheldon, the boat contractor, and the city of Boston. The court finds that the historical society "is very much to blame;" that Wm. E. Sheldon "is principally responsible," and that the city of Boston is to a "great extent responsible" for the accident which resulted in the drowning of four children on that day. The police department is the only one of all the parties who were connected with the events of Farragut Day celebration which led up to the sad accident, that is held not blamable. All these findings are made in a report of the inquest which was held by Judge Fallon and filed in the office of the clerk of the superior court.

PITTSBURGH'S FATAL STORM.

Two Persons Killed and One Mortally Injured—Monetary Loss, \$100,000.

Pittsburgh, July 28.—The cyclonic storm which burst upon this city yesterday afternoon killed two men, fatally injured another, and caused a monetary loss of \$100,000. Hundreds of trees were uprooted, chimneys blown down, and windows demolished. The blowing down of a huge tree upon the tent of a club at a picnic grove was the cause of the death and injury of the three men above mentioned. The storm spent its fury in ten minutes. Despatches from Columbus, O., state that the storm there and at Delaware and Delphos blew the roofs off of many houses and factories, demolished several church steeples, and smashed hundreds of panes of glass. At Delphos six persons were injured.

STETSON WILL CASE.

Understood That Judge Grant Has Decided To Admit the Document to Probate.

Boston, July 28.—It is understood that Judge Grant of the Suffolk probate has decided to allow the will of the late John Stetson, jr. The will will be probated at the next regular sitting of the court, which occurs day after to-morrow. The effect of the allowance of the will is that the mother of Mrs. Catherine Stokes Stetson, who is Mrs. Stokes of New York, is entitled to the property as heir of the daughter, who died intestate. The contestants of the will will undoubtedly take an appeal from the decree allowing the will. This they may legally do at any time within thirty days after the decree has been entered in the probate court.

Sank Their Boat; Deserted the Crew.

St. Johns, N. F., July 28.—The schooner Edie has arrived here from the Grand Banks, bringing twenty-one Frenchmen belonging to the schooner Anna Marie of St. Pierre, which was run down by the schooner Pacificque on Thursday last and sank within an hour. The Pacificque held on her course heedless of the cries for help of those who left the sinking vessel. The Anna Marie's crew, however, took to their boats and were saved. There are seventy-seven shipwrecked bank fishermen at this port.

Gen. Harrison in New York.

New York, July 28.—Ex-President Harrison and his wife arrived at the Fifth Avenue hotel from the Adirondacks last night. Gen. and Mrs. Harrison were accompanied by Lieut. Parker, Mrs. Harrison's brother-in-law. Gen. Harrison said that he had come to New York to attend the meeting of the general assembly of the Presbyterian church, which will take place at the Fifth Avenue hotel this evening, and to attend to some private business.

IRON MILLS RESUME

10,000 Idle Men Will Soon Be at Work Again.

SETTLEMENT OF THE WAGE SCALE

The Works Now Starting Are in Ohio, But Plants in Several Other States Will Begin Operations Under the Agreement.

Pittsburg, July 28.—The resumption of work at the iron mills which will soon put to work at least 10,000 idle men was started this week. It is estimated that at least that number of men are interested in the settlement of the wage-scale with the Ohio manufacturers which occurred at Youngstown on Saturday night. The success of the amalgamated association in making the settlements means, also, that the men employed in the non-union mills will get an advance in their wages, and that employers will sign agreements to pay them the union prices. The conference was with the Ohio association, but plants in several other states will be started under the agreement. The firms who signed the scale are as follows: Andrews Bros. & Co., Hazelton, O.; Brown, Bonnell & Co., four plants at Youngstown, O.; Union Iron and Steel company, two plants at Youngstown, one at Warren, and one at Girard; Mahoning Valley Iron company, two plants at Youngstown; Falcon Iron and Nail company, Niles, O.; Coleman, Shields & Co., Niles, O.; Eagle Iron and steel company, Ironton, O.; Union Rolling Mill company, Cleveland; Carnes & Sons' company, Massillon; Cherry Valley Iron company, Latonia, O.; Etna Standard Iron and Steel company, Bridgeport, O.; Central Iron and Steel company, Brazil, Ind.; Weatherall Rolling Mill company, Franklin, Ind.; Birmingham Rolling Mill company, Birmingham, Ala.; Alabama Rolling Mill company, Gates City, Ga.; Sharon Iron company, Sharon, Pa.; Struthers Iron company, Struthers, O.; Pomeroy Iron company, Pomeroy, O.

VICTIMS OF MOJAVE DESERT.

The Remains of a New York Man and His Companion Found.

Pomona, Cal., July 28.—Edward M. Clark of New York and his companion, Henry Sanford of Columbus, Mo., have been lost on the Mojave desert while prospecting for gold. They left Banning a few weeks ago and at last accounts their provisions had given out and their horses had succumbed to the heat. A prospector who returned from the desert yesterday reports finding two bodies answering their description lying on the desert twenty-five miles from Volcano Springs, near which point the missing men were last seen. The dead horses of the prospectors were also found and their trappings tally with those purchased by Clark and Sanford.

REFUSE TO BUILD THE BOATS.

Italian Shipbuilders Go Back on a Contract Made with Spain for Cruisers.

Madrid, July 28.—The Genoese firm of shipbuilders, Ansaldo, have refused to ratify the contract made by their agent with the Spanish government for the purchase of two cruisers, and their action has caused much excitement here. It is reported that the vessels in question have been bought by the United States.

Connecticut's Reformatory.

New Haven, July 28.—The reformatory commission, created by the late general assembly, of which Prof. McCook of Trinity college is president, has accepted plans for the proposed new reformatory, which is to be located at Hartford. The plans call for an enclosure of eleven acres and buildings to accommodate 1,000 prisoners. There are to be an administration building, four cell blocks, a manual training school, a graded school, a hospital, a gymnasium, and a workshop, besides other necessary structures. The buildings are to be constructed of free stone, fire-finished brick, and terra cotta.

Shoe Lasters' Strike at Lynn.

Lynn, Mass., July 28.—The labor leaders succeeded yesterday afternoon in getting all the men who went to work in the shoe factory of Thomas J. Plant company to quit the shop and move their working kits from the factory. The men, twenty-nine in number, were given dinner at the expense of the lasters' union. They returned to New York and Brooklyn yesterday, also at the expense of the lasters' union.

In Command of the Herbert Fuller.

Boston, July 28.—Capt. McLaughlin, in command of the barkentine Herbert Fuller and is now on his way to Halifax. His services were secured by the owners when it was found that Capt. Ernest Nash, the murdered captain's brother, had declined to proceed in position, although he went to Halifax to take charge of the vessel. It is said that enough men are already being secured to man the ship, and in the course of a few days will resume her voyage to Rosario.

POPULIST CAMPAIGN

Currency To Be the Chief Question of Discussion.

MANY SPEAKERS ON THE LIST

Missouri Populists and Democrats To Fuse—Congressman Hartman Says He Believes Watson Will Consent to the Withdrawal of His Name.

St. Louis, July 28.—Among the speakers who will take the stump for the populist ticket will be Senator Butler, ex-Chairman Taubeneck, E. V. Debs, Robert Schilling, Gov. Llewelling, Senator Peffer, Mary E. Lease, including Coxey and Carl Browne. The currency will be the chief question, and the women who will be sent out will make their special point of attack. Mrs. Roberts, in her speech in the convention seconding the nomination of Bryan, won for herself a reputation as one of the forcible of the women populist speakers. "Cyclone" Davis was discussing the outcome of the convention with a party of friends in the Lindell corridors last evening. He said: "There were a thousand men in that convention who differed with me, and there could have been but one result—the selection of Bryan. It was a case of either making them believe they were wrong and myself and little band of 250 were right, or give up. We had to give up. We were not all statesmen, and the 1,000 on the other side were neither fools nor traitors. We concluded they were right."

Fusion in Missouri.

Kansas City, Mo., July 28.—The plan of the populist leaders in this state for fusion with the democrats. According to ex-Congressman Harris, the populists at their state convention next week will endorse the Bryan and Sewall electors whom the democrats will name on the preceding day. There have been no conferences regarding fusion in this state this year, but fusion seems to be generally approved by both parties. The populists propose to nominate their candidates for state offices and telegraph the result to the democrats, who are expected to endorse them.

Says Watson Must Withdraw.

Butte, Mont., July 28.—Senator Mantle and Representative Hartman, who have returned here, say that they support Bryan for president solely because he is a bimetalist. When the question is settled they will be republicans once more. "While I deplore that the populists put up another ticket," said Mr. Hartman, "yet I think that in thirty days there will be but one bimetallic ticket in the field. I think Watson will allow his name to be withdrawn. The ticket from a point of good politics must be Bryan and Sewall. On second thought Watson and the men who nominated him must concede this."

COMPETITOR PRISONERS.

How Gentlemen from the American Consulate Were Permitted to Visit Them.

Havana, July 28.—The son of Gen. Lee and two gentlemen from the American consulate held an interview with the Competitor prisoners on July 24. They were not permitted to enter the prison, but the seven men of the Competitor were taken outside of the fort to a guardhouse for the conference. Gen. Lee, being slightly indisposed, was not able to be there in person. The prisoners were closely guarded, a double line of pickets being stationed around the guardhouse. The prisoners had not been out of their cells before for two months. All appeared to be in fairly good health. It is understood that a review of the Competitor case will be taken up in the supreme court at Madrid some time in August. Nothing whatever has yet been done in the case.

Jersey Republican Committee.

Newark, N. J., July 28.—The republican state executive committee concluded its labors last evening, after fixing the date for the electoral convention on Aug. 27, at Trenton. It was decided not to materially change the basis of representation as in force heretofore. This system allows one delegate for every 200 votes and one for the fraction not below 100. Garrett A. Hobart was not in attendance. It was announced that he would meet Mark Hanna in New York city to-day.

National League Games.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 3; Cleveland, 2. At Chicago—Chicago, 9; Pittsburg, 3. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; Louisville, 3.

Standing of the Clubs.

Team	W.	L.	Per
Cincinnati	66	26	.698
Philadelphia	37	43	.463
Baltimore	52	28	.652
Brooklyn	37	44	.457
Cleveland	53	28	.654
Washington	33	44	.432
Chicago	50	38	.568
New York	32	47	.405
Pittsburg	41	37	.523
St. Louis	34	57	.366
Boston	42	37	.532
Lyons	21	58	.266

Minor League Games.

Rochester, 3; Buffalo, 2. Paterson, 2; Wilkesbarre, 2. Hartford, 3; Lanester, 1 (five innings; rain). Newark, 11; Athletics, 2 (six innings; rain). Providence, 3; Boston (national league) 12.

CAMPAIGN LITERATURE.

Big Demand for It at Both Republican and Democratic Headquarters.

Washington, July 28.—The demand for campaign literature at republican and democratic congressional headquarters is unprecedented. Singularly enough the requests for sound money literature come largely from the doubtful middle and western states, which the democrats are confident of carrying. On the other hand, the greatest interest is shown in silver literature in such of the eastern states as are believed to be reliably republican. This is especially true of New York, Pennsylvania and New England. Senator Mitchell of Wisconsin has been the only conspicuous caller at democratic headquarters during the past week. At that time Senator Mitchell was undecided whether to support the Chicago ticket or not. He is reported to have said that he was elected by gold democrats, and that he did not see how he could consistently favor an economic policy contrary to their wishes. Senator Jones of Arkansas, the chairman of the democratic national committee, will return to Washington within a few days, and this is interpreted to mean that the visit will be made in pursuance of his purpose to establish himself here during the campaign.

More Than 50,000,000 Speeches.

The announcement is made at republican headquarters that arrangements have been perfected whereby the state committeemen in the several states will be supplied with all the campaign literature prepared by the congressional committee. The principal speeches sent out from republican headquarters are McGleary's reply to Towse showing that the fluctuations of silver have had no bearing upon the prices of farm products; "Babcock on Money," and the speech of judge Geo. H. Aldridge of Dallas, Tex., on the free coinage of silver, which Senator Caffrey of Louisiana had printed in the Congressional Record last winter. It is estimated that more than 50,000,000 speeches of all kinds will be distributed by the republican congressional committee alone.

MARK HANNA AT NEW YORK.

The Republican National Chairman Was Due There About Noon To-day.

New York, July 28.—There were many callers at the Hotel Waldorf last evening looking for chairman Mark Hanna of the national executive committee of the republican party. They were disappointed, for the clerk of the hotel announced that he had as yet received no order from Mr. Hanna for rooms, and that the only word indicating that he would be in this city this week was the announcement received that he would probably be here by Thursday. When Mr. Hanna arrives it is said he will call a meeting of the executive committee and announce the plan of campaign. At the meeting Senator Quay and Messrs. Clayton and Manley are expected to be present. Vice-Presidential Candidate Hobart will probably meet the committeemen, and the active work of the campaign will be fully discussed and a line of action determined upon. Early this morning at the national republican headquarters it was stated that Mr. Hanna would reach this city before noon to-day. Word had reached there that Mr. Hanna had left Cleveland at 6 o'clock last evening, and at the Waldorf it was said this morning that his rooms would be in readiness by that time.

Too Much Wind for Fishing.

Buzzards Bay, Mass., July 28.—President Cleveland was driven to the village postoffice yesterday afternoon, where he received his morning mail. He also made a brief stop at the Parker house to speak with an acquaintance. On account of the high wind down the bay he did not go fishing, but remained at Gray Gables.

Labor Organization in Japan.

Fall River, Mass., July 28.—Secretary Howard has received a communication from Samuel Gompers asking for all possible data to be used by a Japanese trades union among the textile operatives in Japan. The organizer mentioned is a graduate of Columbia college, who has been working among his people in Japan two years.

Nevada City, Cal., July 28.—The head bodies of Sheriff Douglas and an unknown highwayman who had committed many robberies single-handed during the past two weeks were found two miles from here yesterday. There were many wounds on the bodies, and the men had evidently had a desperate hand-to-hand fight.

Suicide of a Young Business Man.

Canton, Mass., July 28.—Arthur L. Vitch, chair manufacturer, and one of Sterling's most popular young men, shot himself last evening on the bridge over the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad tracks. He was 25 years of age.

Will Vote for McKinley.

Augusta, Me., July 28.—In a letter to attorney F. L. Staples of this city, President Hyde of Bowdoin college, who is a democrat, announces that he shall vote the republican ticket. He gives as his reason, "the maintenance of financial integrity."

STILL CREEPING UP

Treasury Gold Reserve To-day Stands at \$105,073,919.

SUCCESS OF THE BANKS' EFFORTS

Committee of the Foreign Exchange Bankers at New York Complete a Plan for the Protection of Gold Exports During Next Ninety Days.

Washington, July 28.—The treasury gold reserve is gradually creeping up, the official figures standing to-day at \$105,073,919.

New York, July 28.—The committee of seven appointed at the recent meeting of exchange bankers to devise a plan for the prevention of gold exports during the next ninety days, have presented a complete report to the full body at a meeting held at the offices of J. P. Morgan & Co. The plan was pronounced effective and was unanimously adopted and the committee discharged. The plan will take effect immediately. A member of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. said that no public statement would be made at this time. The Brooklyn banks are beginning to tender gold to the United States treasury through Mr. Tappen, in exchange for legal tender notes. The People's bank of Brooklyn has offered to deposit \$10,000, and the First National bank and others in that city and the Queens County bank of Long Island City, also will give up a proportionate amount of their gold for the treasury.

Additional Aid from Boston Bankers.

Boston, July 28.—Additional pledges of gold for the relief of the treasury have been made by the following: First Ward bank, \$20,000; International Trust company, \$10,000; Faneuil Hall National bank, \$25,000; total, including \$183,000 pledged by the trust companies, \$2,250,000.

NEW YORK TAILORS' STRIKE.

Contractors and Workmen Will Wait for the Bosses To Make the First Move.

New York, July 28.—There was some deviation last night from the plan which the men of the Brotherhood of Tailors, now on strike, and the Contractors' association had made to fight the manufacturers, and there were a few skirmishes between union and non-union men. The executive board of the brotherhood met, and then Meyer Schoenfeld said that resolutions had been adopted stating that inasmuch as the contractors' association was not in a position to control all the contractors, the executive board of the Brotherhood of Tailors would settle with the individual contractors. When the leaders of the contractors heard this they hurried to Schoenfeld and held a conference with him. Then there was a secret conference between committees of the contractors and the tailors. After the conference Schoenfeld said it had been agreed that the Brotherhood of Tailors could not settle with any individual contractors, and that the contractors agreed that they would compel those contractors that were outside of that organization to join it. Both the contractors and tailors will wait for the manufacturers to make the first move. There are about 300 members in the contractors' association, and as many outside of it.

The Navigator Blamed.

London, July 28.—The board of trade has decided that the loss of the steamship Drummond Castle off Ushant, on June 16, resulting in the drowning of about 200 persons, only one passenger and two seamen being saved, was due to the fact that she was not navigated with proper seamanship in view of the prevailing conditions.

Requests to Churches.

Newport, R. I., July 28.—The will of Mrs. Thomas A. Lawton, daughter of the late Alfred Smith, has just been probated. The Channing Memorial church of this city receives some \$25,000, while the Congregational church at Lighton, Mass., receives \$5,000 and the Smith Memorial hall of that place \$2,000, the income of which is to be used for repairs.

Democratic Politics in Maine.

Bath, Me., July 28.—E. F. Hanson of Bath was in Bath yesterday evening chairman George Hughes and son, Arthur Sewall. Mr. Sewall will say nothing about the candidates for the democratic gubernatorial nomination, but thinks that the new convention will pass resolutions endorsing the Chicago platform.

Cornelius Vanderbilt Doing Well.

Newport, R. I., July 28.—Dr. McLane, who came on from New York with Cornelius Vanderbilt Sunday, states to-day that his patient is very comfortable and there are no signs of any ill effects from the trip up the sound. He believes that Mr. Vanderbilt's improvement will now be very rapid.

Hard Work Reaching Port.

Gloster, Mass., July 28.—The fishing schooner Albert C. Cager is at this port from a fishing cruise, looking badly and in a damaged condition, having struck a ledge off No Man's Land. The crew had some difficulty in keeping her afloat until she made this port, where she will be repaired.

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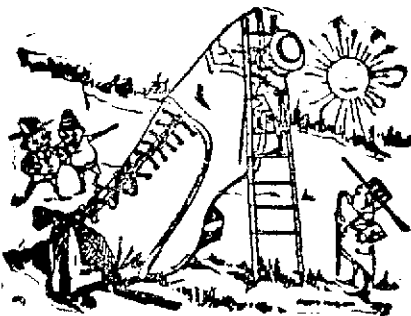
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DISEASE OF OCCUPATION.

Medical Men Have Discovered the Existence of the Golf Arm.

Medical authorities have decided that "golf arm" is a disease likely to come upon a golf player at any moment. Whether the experienced player or the rank amateur is the most likely to come under its influence has not been decided. The one thing that all agree in is that the disease is a reality, and one that is not to be lightly considered. One may be afflicted by the disease without knowing that it exists, and, though temporary relief may have been had, it is a question yet to be determined whether improper treatment of what may be thought to be merely a sprain will not render a player a chronic sufferer from the new disease.

"Golf arm" is an affliction of the musculo-spiral nerve, the functions of which are interfered with under certain conditions which have been found to occur more frequently in the playing of golf than in any other game of physical exertion. The attention of physicians was first called to the new disease by the complaints of professional golf players. These players told of acute pains along the upper part of the arm. Similar pains had often been noticed, but were thought to be the natural result of unusual exercise.

Members of the British Medical society first called attention to it, with the result that a series of experiments was begun on the golf links and carried on to a considerable extent. The arms of scores of golf players under various conditions were examined and the results of these examinations were carefully compared. The disease is an interruption of the direct current of the musculo-spiral nerve, which is brought under conditions where it really works against itself, and in doing so is urged to greater limits than nature intended it should, thus producing pain. The styles of play most likely to produce "golf arm" have been found to be the vigorous "pressing and forcing" which, when employed, often produces a painful sensation more quickly than any other action in the game.

While American physicians have not carried on a plan of investigation and experiment they have taken an interest in the new disease. The main idea that has been developed in America is that "golf arm" is more liable to attack an experienced than an inexperienced player. Pains in the arm of the beginner at golf come, it is believed, merely from the unusual exercise. But when the pains strike the old timer it is more serious. Just what the remedy will be for the new disease has not yet been determined. The idea seems to be that the medical authorities will soon be able to fix on which of the golf strokes interfere most directly on the spiral nerve, and will suggest the elimination of such hurtful strokes from the game. —N. Y. Journal.

CYCLONE-PROOF BUILDINGS.

Architects Must Take Account of the Wind in Drawing Their Plans.

A very large area of the United States is exposed to the danger of cyclones, and it is accordingly worth while for both public authorities and private investigators to study closely all the phenomena presented by the recent fearful visitation at St. Louis. With the increase of population in the exposed territory it is certain that there must be an increase of danger, and the lesson of each cyclone is how to diminish that danger as far as possible. It is a truism to say that only increased care and expense in building will do this, but it is essential to insist on it. No frame house will withstand any cyclone. The settler who builds the ordinary frame house on the prairie must dig his cyclone pit and take his chances. Next to the frame house the big brick wall built as a shell around a factory or power-house, or as a church wall, with a heavy roof resting on it, is the weakest in its resistance to the wind. Every factory, warehouse, church, schoolhouse or elevator destroyed by the St. Louis cyclone was structurally weak in resistance to wind. Most of them were mere shells with long stretches of brick wall wholly unbraced.

A third source of danger is a structural condition which permits the wind to get a leverage on an exposed surface. This it got in St. Louis in the unfinished steel trusses of the Liggett & Meyers tobacco factory and in unroofed the eastern approach to the Eads bridge and overturning the cars, or in stripping the trees of their branches. Insufficiently protected openings are also a source of danger. The reports from St. Louis render it reasonable to believe that a great deal of the destruction of dwelling-houses would not have happened if the windows on the exposed side had been protected by solid shutters. And, finally, it is demonstrated that, while square or oblong structures are easily crushed by the furious winds, the round tower resists them perfectly. The lesson of the cyclone is that the west must build more solidly and substantially and make larger use of the round-tower idea. It costs more in the beginning, but it is cheaper when the cyclone comes around. —N. Y. World.

All About Love.

"Say, I'm in love," confided the fardancer to the lookout during a lull in the play.

"Why, you don't know what love is," laughed the lookout.

"Don't you believe it?" retorted the dancer. "Love is a game that Cupid deals. He has a crooked layout, and the bank wins every bet. If you conquer a man in this game it's sure to win; if you play a case open it loses, and you're in for luck if you don't get whipsawed in every turn. If a man calls the turn it's a one to ten shot he drops dead." —N. Y. Times-Herald.

—The duchess of Mecklenburg-Stritz, on the strength of her connection with the royal family, receives £3,650 per year.

CAUSES MANY ILLMENTS.

Bite of the Rattlesnake Produces Various Disorders of the Human System.

San Jose doctors have been greatly puzzled lately over the peculiar developments in a remarkable case of blood poisoning, the result of a rattlesnake bite. Nearly three months ago Fred D. Wieland, an Englishman, 40 years old, was bitten by a rattlesnake and for a time his life was despaired of. The effects of the venomous fluid were finally overcome, at least to the extent that the patient's life was no longer considered in danger. But scarcely had the pain and swelling begun to subside than a large carbuncle began to make its appearance on the back of the neck. It grew rapidly and in a short time attained enormous proportions, causing the sufferer most excruciating pain. It was one evening in November, 1895, that Wieland, while handling a rattlesnake in a San Jose store, was bitten near the end of the second finger of the left hand, close to the finger nail. One finger struck the nail, while the other penetrated the flesh deeply, making a puncture like that of a darning needle.

Wieland at once tied a string around the finger and commenced sucking the blood from the wound. The proprietor of the place plied Wieland with whisky and treated the wound with a patent compound of which he was the proprietor and advertised extensively as warranted to cure everything from snake bites to measles. Wieland suffered intensely and early the next morning his wife sent for a physician. He could afford no relief and another physician was called in to consult. All this time Wieland was delirious from the effects of the whisky. His hand and arm and even his shoulder and neck were terribly swollen and of a dark blue color. The bitten finger was purplish and showed signs of gangrene. The inner side of the arm from the elbow upward soon became a dark purple and similar patches developed between the elbow and wrist. Finally cuts were made by Dr. Johnston on the finger and arm and a strong solution of permanganate of potassium was constantly applied to the limb. Remedies to ease the pain and restlessness were also given. Next day there were convulsions, but on the third day Wieland became more rational. The swelling subsided slightly and the pain was less severe and the convulsions became less frequent.

From this time on Wieland improved steadily. The swelling went down, and the discolorations became less marked. On the seventh day the patient was able to dress and go about the house, although still very weak. A week later he began to gain strength very rapidly, and a sensation of life had gradually returned to the fingers, except at the end and around the finger nail, at which place sloughing occurred. On December 13, or 17 days after Wieland was bitten by the rattlesnake, the finger was nearly healed over, but an angry looking spot was developing on the back of his neck. An incision was made and an antiseptic dressing applied. Soon after the finger became a matter of secondary interest, for the spot on the back of Wieland's neck grew rapidly into a immense carbuncle. In a few days the carbuncle had grown to the size of a goose egg and required constant attention. Incisions were made and diseased matter removed and antiseptic dressings applied frequently. But in spite of everything that could be done the swelling continued to spread, and eight days after its first appearance was as broad as a man's hand and formed a straight line from the back of the head down the back. The pain was intense and the patient was delirious a good part of the time. Immense incisions were now made in all directions, and as much as possible of the diseased tissue removed, while antiseptic dressings were applied every hour. During the next few days great masses of tissue were removed and the patient then began to regain his strength. The finger has long since healed and a new, but deformed, nail is growing in place of the one lost during the process of sloughing. —San Francisco News-Letter.

DO HORSES WEEP?

One Well-Authenticated Case During the Crimean War.

On the advance of the heights of Alma a battery of artillery became exposed to a fire of a concealed Russian battery, and in the course of a few minutes it was nearly destroyed, men and horses killed and wounded, guns dismounted and limbers broken.

A solitary horse, which had apparently escaped unhurt, was observed standing with gaze fixed upon an object close behind him. This turned out to be his late master, quite dead.

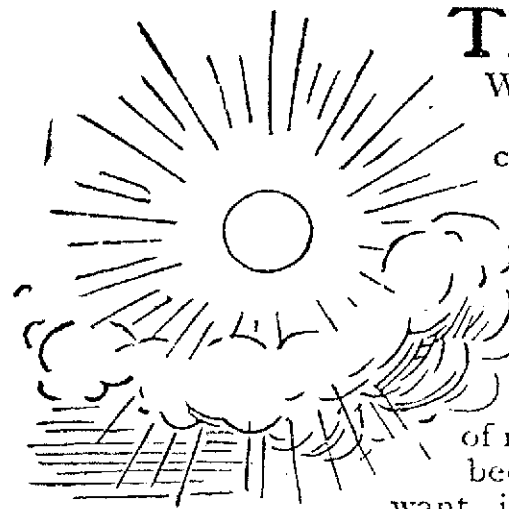
The poor animal, when a trooper was dispatched to recover him, was found with copious tears flowing from his eyes, and it was only by main force that he could be dragged away from the spot and his unparaphrased cries to get back to his master were heartrending.

Appropos of the intense love that cavalry horses have for music, a correspondent of the Gazette writes that when the Sixth dragoons recently changed their quarters a mare belonging to one of the troopers was taken so ill as to be unable to proceed on the journey the following morning. Two days later another detachment of the same regiment, accompanied by the band, arrived. The sick mare was in a loose box, but, hearing the martial strains, kicked a hole through the side of her box, and, making her way through the shop of a tradesman, took her place in the troop before she was secured and brought back to the stable. But the excitement had proved too great, and the subsequent exhaustion proved fatal. —Horse Guards' Gazette.

Latest Version.

Rowland—I understand Scorchers and his wife have quarreled and separated.

Davis—Yes; he precipitated affairs by telling her she couldn't ride a wheel half so well as his mother did. —Philadelphia North American.



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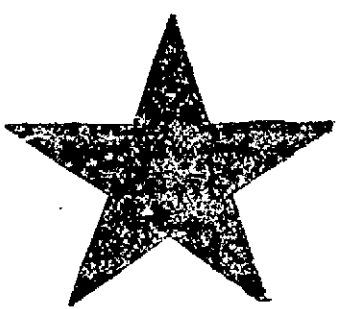
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TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1896.



For President,
WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN,
of Nebraska.

For Vice-President,
ARTHUR SEWALL,
of Maine.

The McKinley Leaguers of Ulster county, under the leadership of G. D. B. Hasbrouck, are making it very interesting for the Sharpe-Coykendall combination. The indications are that the machine will be beaten in both Assembly districts.

The Denver Times asserts that 300 per cent. of the Republicans of Colorado are for Bryan and that there are not ten newspapers in the State which are supporting McKinley. Under such conditions it would be the graceful thing to make it unanimous.

Democrats, who a few months ago confidently relied on the Raines law to aid their party in this fall's election reckoned without their host. As a matter of Democratic votes the new liquor law will cut no figure, for it cannot be made even a minor issue in the hot fight now on between gold and silver.

Tammany's district leaders, who are close to the people and have to keep in touch with popular sentiment, have forced the Executive Committee to abandon the policy of inaction on which it had determined, and a meeting of the Executive Committee has been called for Friday evening, when Bryan and Sewall will be endorsed.

Mark Hanna has no intention of sugar-coating the McKinley pill to make it easy for bolting Democrats to swallow. Democrats who vote for McKinley must do so with the full knowledge that he stands for McKinleyism and nothing else, and has no idea of starting beyond high protection, and a great deal of it, as a cure for all ills of the body politic. McKinley must be what his creators want him to be, and the trusts and monopolies would not have taken him up unless they expected him to serve them, and he can best serve them by raising tariff duties to the point where foreign competition is impossible and consumers are at their mercy.

Mark Hanna arrived in New York, today, to set in motion the financial end of the campaign. Although anxious for harmony he is determined to have his own way about some things, and one thing that he has decided on is that the Republican State Committee, as at present organized, shall have nothing to do with handling or disbursing the campaign funds of the National Committee. Mr. Hanna's openly expressed distrust of the personal and political honesty of the members of Mr. Platt's committee has had a most depressing effect on the followers of the machine who are not in politics for their health, and their financial necessities may drive them into the ranks of the McKinley Leaguers.

The Republican Congressional Committee is at odds with Mark Hanna over the management of the campaign. The Congressional Committee regards the currency question as the only issue of the campaign and its members are outspoken in their criticism of Hanna for not allowing McKinley to commit himself unreservedly to the gold standard. The committee has proposed a great quantity of gold standard literature, but finds no encouragement to circulate it so long as the candidate refuses to take a stand. It stands on nothing with the currency question, which is as ex-President Harrison says on the "sliding." The committee believes that thousands of Democratic votes, which might have gone to McKinley, have been lost to him through his evasive course on the currency question, and he is anxious to see that the progress of events has sent the truth to the front. And the committee is "dead beat."

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD.

An old mining locomotive has just been completed at the Boston & Maine works at Danbury, Me. It is a 20-ton capacity of 2000 lbs. It is a 20-ton engine and weighs 165,000 pounds.

The New Jersey Central has let the contract for the construction of its new passenger line to Port Jervis, Pa. This will connect its system with the Erie and Wyoming Valley road.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA CLOUD BURST.

Many Lives Lost and Much Property Damaged by a Violent Summer Storm—Sixteen Miners Swept to Death in Their Boarding House.

Pittsburg, July 28.—A tornado and rain storm of unprecedented severity struck Western Pennsylvania, yesterday, causing the loss of many lives and great destruction of property.

The greatest destruction of property and loss of life was in Cecil Valley. Cecil Creek rose as if swelled by a cloud burst and at Bridgeville it swept away a miners' boarding house and its sixteen inmates were drowned. The valley at that point is now under sixteen feet of water.

Other casualties are reported in the valley and from a pile of debris near Cecil six bodies have been taken.

A limb fell from a tree on a camping party, killing John Figs and injuring five others, one of them fatally.

John Antholder, of Pittsburg, was hit by a flying sign while driving and instantly killed.

At Cecil village, Samuel McKenney's house was swept away with his wife and two children. Two oil men and a little girl also perished.

The damage to property in Pittsburg is very great.

DEMOCRATIC STATE CONVENTION

To Be Held at Buffalo, Sept. 16th.

New York, July 28.—The Democratic State Committee, today, called the State Convention at Buffalo, Sept. 16th, to nominate candidates for Governor and Lieutenant Governor and Presidential electors.

Previous to the meeting it was announced that it had been agreed to table any resolution, if offered, endorsing or repudiating the Chicago ticket or platform.

JAMESON AND HIS RAIDERS SENTENCED.

London, July 28.—Dr. Jameson was sentenced to fifteen months in prison, John Willoughby to ten months, Col. Waire to seven months and the others to three months each. None will be compelled to do hard labor.

MRS. SPROAT'S 95TH BIRTHDAY.

Celebrated by Receiving Her Friends at the Home of Her Daughter.

Mrs. Juliette Sproat is receiving her friends, this afternoon, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. George Wickham, corner of Wisner and Wickham avenues, in honor of her 95th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Sproat was born on the farm on the South Plank road, now Wawayanda avenue, formerly known as the Conkling homestead, now as Locksley Hall, and has resided in Middletown all the years of her long life.

She is a most remarkably well preserved woman for one of her age. She is in the enjoyment of excellent health, retains her physical and mental strength to a remarkable degree and except for a slight defect in her hearing is in possession of all her faculties. She is active, bright and cheerful and apparently finds as much enjoyment in life as she did in her earlier years. She not only enjoys life's pleasures but is still willing to share in its duties and obligations. Bright and early this morning, on her ninety-fifth birthday, she began to busy herself about the house, sweeping rooms, strop and steps.

Mrs. Sproat is the last of a family of eight children, the most recent death in her family being that of her brother, Dr. John Conkling in Port Jervis, two years ago. Mrs. Sproat has every promise of living to celebrate the centennial of her birth.

Very Seriously Ill.

The many friends of William Cokelot, of this city, will regret to learn that he is hopelessly ill at the residence of his father in Mount Airy, where he and his family have been stopping for several weeks.

Elected Major of the 22nd Regiment.

Capt. Thurston, drill instructor at the State Camp, was elected Major of the 22nd Regiment, last night. He has been a member of the regiment since 1877 and Captain of Co. E. for ten years.

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MONTICELLO STORM SWEPT.

A Very Violent Summer Storm Does Great Damage—Many Trees Uprooted—A House Struck by Lightning.

The heaviest storm ever known in Monticello passed over that village between 3 and 4 o'clock, yesterday afternoon. The rain fell in torrents and the wind, which was very high, attained the speed and violence of a cyclone. For a time it seemed as if the whole village would be swept away, but the violence of the gale only continued for a few minutes.

Many chimneys were toppled over, fences leveled, shutters torn loose and trees uprooted or stripped of their branches. Main street along its entire length was strewn with uprooted trees and huge branches that had been broken off. It is estimated that over 100 trees were damaged.

In the front yard of the Niven property five handsome trees were uprooted and several others were deprived of branches. It will take at least two days to clear away the debris in this one place.

The wind raised great havoc in Samuel Dougherty's orchard, east of the village. Thirteen apple trees were split down the center much more evenly than could possibly be done by any human being, and twelve other trees were uprooted.

Lightning struck the residence of Chas. A. Royce and damaged the furniture in the kitchen to some extent, but fortunately the house escaped much injury.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

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NEW YORK, July 28, '96.	Yesterday	Today
Sugar	104 1/2	101 1/2
A. T. & S. P.	11 1/2	10 1/2
C. B. & Q.	63 1/2	63 1/2
Chicago Gas	52 1/2	51
D. L. & W.	151	151
E. & C. F.	104 1/2	104 1/2
Gen. Elec.	24	22 1/2
L. & N.	45 1/2	43 1/2
L. S.	145	145
M. P.	174 1/2	164 1/2
N. Y. & N. E.	91 1/2	90 1/2
N. Y. C.	94 1/2	95 1/2
Seaboard	104 1/2	104 1/2
Southern Ry.	7 1/2	7 1/2
P. & R.	10 1/2	10
P. L.	56 1/2	54 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	70	67 1/2
U. S.	6	6
W. Union	75 1/2	74 1/2
Nat. Lead	104 1/2	104 1/2
Sept. Wheat	56 1/2	57 1/2
Sept. Corn	25 1/2	24 1/2
Sept. Oats	18	17 1/2
Sept. Pork	\$6.00	\$6.05
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DIED.

OSBORNE—Entered into rest, July 25th, '96, in this city, Emily Gould Osborne, widow of the late Ezra Osborne, formerly of Patterson, N. J., in her eighty-first year.

Short services will be held from the residence of her brother, Franklin Gould, No. 123 Highland avenue, Wednesday morning, at eleven o'clock. Interment at Salem, Mass. Patterson papers please copy.

MYERS—Entered into rest, July 27th, '96, in this city, Adeline M. Myers, widow of the late John F. Myers, aged seventy-three years, nine months, twenty-three days.

Funeral Thursday, from her late residence, No. 21 Grand avenue, at ten-thirty o'clock. Interment in family plot, Phillipsburgh.

WHEELER—In this city, July 28th, '96, of apoplexy, Joanna, widow of the late Hayden Wheeler, aged sixty-nine years, five months, ten days. Funeral private, Wednesday evening, at the house. Burial in family plot, in Hillside Cemetery.

SCHUBERT—At the Campbell home, near this city, July 27th, '96, Mabel, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schubert, aged five months, eight days. Burial in Hillside Cemetery.

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Seventy-five styles of French and American Corsets always in stock.

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DAILY ARGUS.

TUESDAY, JULY 28, 1896.

WEATHER INDICATIONS

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 28.—Local thunder showers to-night; probably rain, Wednesday; westerly winds.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, today:

7 a. m., 75°; 12 m., 86°; 5 p. m., 90°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—Aug. 2.—Electric Social Club picnic, at Midway Park.

—Aug. 2.—Excursion to Coney Island via N. Y. O. and N. Railroad.

—Aug. 4.—Orange County Circuit, at Campbell track.

—Aug. 6.—Fire conductors' clam bake, at Shohola Glen.

—Aug. 26.—Middletown Division conductors' clam bake, at Livingston Manor.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—Girl wanted to do housework.
—Bunch of keys lost at Taylor's Pharmacy.
—Prescription given away with Mail Pouch.

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS.

—Over 200 tickets for the Erie's Niagara excursion were sold at Port Jervis, Saturday.

—A great deal of rain fell during the showers which succeeded each other in quick succession, yesterday afternoon.

—People may differ on the silver question and nearly everything else, but all will agree that we have had rain enough for the present.

—Walter M. Weeks and Charles A. Kephau, who are entered in the Cornell races, will start for there, to-morrow morning.

—Many Middletown horsemen will attend the opening meeting of the Orange county circuit on the Cornwall track, this week. The meeting began this afternoon.

—Charles M. Conover, of Hughsonville, Dutchess county, picked up last week a fine horse and carriage, which had been abandoned on the highway. A kit of burglar's tools was found in the wagon.

PERSONAL.

—H. L. Breslin, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in town.

—George Stack, of Middletown, was in town Sunday.—*Norwich Sun*.

—Excursionist Richardson, of Goshen, with a party of friends, was in town today.

—Fred Conklin and Miss May Fowler, of Wanda, are visiting relatives in this city.

—Mrs. John Barland and Miss Flora L. McLean are visiting friends in Newburgh.

—Miss Bessie and Eva Schellenberg returned, today, from a visit with friends in Newburgh.

—George Harris, of Middletown, spent Sunday with his parents on North Broad street.—*Norwich Sun*.

—Mrs. Wm. Shaktleton, of New York, who has been visiting at the residence of J. H. Rosenkrantz, returned home today.

—W. F. O'Neill, Esq., of this town, this morning, for Asbury Park, to join his family, who have been there for some time. They will all return in a few days.

—Dr. and Mrs. Carl Martin, were in town, today, as guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Wickham, on the occasion of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Wickham's mother, Mrs. Sprout.

—Miss Agnes, daughter of John Connolly, of Ellenville, and Walter Gregory Mulholland, of New York, will be married at the bride's home, in Ellenville, at noon, to-morrow. A number of Middletowners will attend.

—Dwight Babcock, the grocer, corner of Lake and Wickham avenues, and his wife, went, Saturday, on the Erie excursion to Niagara Falls. They will go as far as Toronto, Canada. E. C. Corwin has charge of the store during their absence.

—Amzi Cronk, who left Middletown seven years ago, arrived in this city, last evening, with his wife and child and will spend a few weeks with friends here. Mr. Cronk is a passenger conductor on a southern railroad, his run being between Jacksonville and St. Augustine, Fla., in summer, and to Savannah in winter. He has been very successful in the south.

VIOLENT STORM AT STATE CAMP.

Streets Flooded, Many Tents Leveled and Everything and Everybody Soaked.

The 21st left the State camp just in time. A very violent storm of wind and rain struck the camp about 4 o'clock, yesterday afternoon, which flooded the company streets and leveled many tents. Col. McGroarty's tent was flooded and all his clothes ruined. The front of the barber's tent was torn away by the wind and the barber frightened into hysterics. Three men were needed to keep him quiet. Many more tents would have been leveled had not the soldiers gone out in the rain and held them down. When the storm was over there was hardly a dry stitch of clothing in camp.

Be Sure Your are Right

And then go ahead. If your blood is impure, your appetite failing, your nerves weak, you may be sure that Hood's Sarsaparilla is what you need. Then take no substitute. Insist upon Hood's and only Hood's. This is the medicine which has the largest sales in the world. Hood's Sarsaparilla is the One True Blood Purifier.

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THE STRAW HAT WORKS ON FIRE

A Blaze on the Third Floor of the Building—Firemen by Prompt and Effective Work Extinguish the Flames Before Much Damage Had Been Done—Losses and Insurance.

About 8:25 o'clock, this morning, James Mulford, the North street carriage manufacturer, discovered smoke issuing from the front windows of the third floor of the Middletown Straw Hat Works. He promptly turned in an alarm from box 15, at the corner of North street and Low avenue, and in less than five minutes Ontario Hose Company and Eagle Patrol Company had streams upon the flames.

The fire was confined to the rooms in the front part of the third floor of the building and was extinguished after half an hour's hard work. The lower floors and considerable stock were badly damaged by the flood of water which was poured into the building.

The origin of the fire is a mystery. From all indications it started in the machinists' room on the third floor in the front of the building. J. Edwin Rogers, the machinist and his brother, Jason, were at work on a piece of machinery in the rear of the factory at the time of the fire. They heard Mr. Mulford shouting and at the same time an explosion occurred. They got out the fire hose with which the factory is equipped, but were unable to accomplish much, owing to the dense smoke.

The night watchman, Winthrop H. Dorrance, left the building at 7 o'clock upon the arrival of H. C. Benson and the Rogers brothers.

Mr. Benson had about completed arrangements with the owners of the factory for the use of the plant for the coming season. He started for New York on the Mountain Express, and could scarcely have reached Main street when the alarm sounded. He was telegraphed to at Tarrytown and returned on the first train.

The building is insured with Combs & Wilber, Case & Taylor and Gardner & McWilliams. These firms all had representatives at the fire, and were notified by President J. E. Mills and Director W. B. Rogers, of the company owning the building, to secure an appraisal at once and get the building in shape for occupancy as soon as possible.

The stock which remained in the building was the property of several people who bid it in at the assignee's sale, last week, and the machinery and fixtures were bought by H. C. Benson at the same time.

There was insurance on all of this property when it belonged to Mr. Benson's father, but most of it had been transferred to the several purchasers, and it will require some time to ascertain and adjust the losses.

A large female mastiff watchdog owned by Mr. Benson was suffocated by smoke.

THE TROLLEY EMPLOYEES' PICNIC

A Large Crowd at the Park, This Afternoon—And a Larger One Will Be There, To-morrow.

The employees of the electric road were in high spirits this morning, over the fine weather for the picnic, as well they might have been. They were all decked out with badges and bouilloniers, and their only fear was that a shower might come during the day or evening and spoil the pleasure of their guests.

There was no doubt that a crowd would be at the park; the large advance sale of tickets may bear witness.

At 1 o'clock the two double-track cars were put on the line, and these in addition to the regular cars were crowded every trip.

If the weather continues fair to-night there will be a concert by the band and fireworks in addition to dancing and other amusements.

If you haven't bought a ticket yet you had better do so at once.

Killed by an O. and W. Train.

Joseph Charpentier, of Norwich, left his home, late Saturday evening, to get a pint of beer. He did not return, and search was made for him and he was found lying along the O. and W. track with a fractured skull, from the effect of which he died early Sunday morning. It is supposed that while crossing the tracks he was struck a glancing blow by a passing train which either crushed his skull or threw him against the rail when the fracture was sustained.

Walden Officials Coming to See Excelsior's Truck.

Assistant Chief Engineer Richard received a communication from Walden, this morning, stating that a committee consisting of the Chief of the Walden Fire Department and four of the trustees of the village will visit this city, Wednesday evening, to inspect Excelsior's truck. The company will hold a practice meeting for the benefit of the visitors.

The Middletown Trotting Meeting.

The Orange county circuit's meeting on the Middletown track, next week, bids fair to be one of the very best trotting meetings ever held in Orange county. The large fields of entries assure interesting contests in all events, and fine sport may be expected. The races ought to attract large crowds from this city and the surrounding country.

Iron Beams for the High School Building.

Two cars loaded with great iron beams were switched in the Erie yard, last night. The iron is for the new high school building.

For carache, put a couple of drops of Thomas' Electric Oil on a bit of cotton and place it in the ear. The pain will stop in a few moments. Simple enough, isn't it.

OBITUARY.

Joanna Ackley Wheeler.

Mrs. Joanna Ackley Wheeler, widow of the late Hayden Wheeler, died at 7:30 o'clock, this morning, at her home No. 59 South street. The cause of death was a stroke of apoplexy which she sustained about 5 o'clock, Monday afternoon, and from which she did not rally, never regaining consciousness. She had been an invalid for more than twenty-five years, but was in her usual health up to the time of her fatal seizure.

Mrs. Wheeler was born at Sugar Loaf, this county, Feb. 18th, 1827, and was the daughter of Anthony and Maria Mapes Ackley. She lived in Sugar Loaf until her marriage, May 21st, 1845. Mr. Wheeler was an employee of the Erie railroad and they lived at Otisville, Port Jervis and Corning for short periods as his duties made it necessary. They came to Middletown forty years ago last May and this has been their home ever since. Mr. Wheeler died Nov. 12, 1891, from the effects of a stroke of apoplexy.

Mrs. Wheeler is survived by four daughters, Hannah, widow of the late Dr. E. W. Deyo, of Montgomery; Alice, wife of Edmund W. Hayes, Jenae, wife of E. D. C. Crans, both of this city, and Josie, at home. Julia, her oldest child, who was the wife of William Davenport, died at Port Jervis in 1890, and Willie, the youngest, died in infancy in 1867.

Mrs. Wheeler was one of a family of twelve children, nine of whom are still living: William, Augustus, Henry, Thomas and Mary-Ackley, of Goshen; John, of Brooklyn; Cora, of Jersey City; Wycliff, of Mount Hope, and Mrs. Hannah Baker, of Newburgh. James died in Chester in 1874 and Irvin near Rochester in 1887.

Emily G. Osborne.

Mrs. Emily G. Osborne, widow of Ezra Osborne, of Patterson, N. J., died, this morning, at the home of her brother, Franklin Gould, 123 Highland avenue, this city, of paralysis, after an illness of about ten days.

She was born in New Boston, N. H., and was of the sturdy New England stock. In 1842 she married Ezra Osborne, of Lowell, Mass., and in 1852 moved to Patterson, N. J., where she continued to reside until a year ago, since which time she has made her home with her brother in this city.

Mrs. Osborne was of a loving, generous disposition, fond of children and was a strong character, fearless and outspoken. She had many strong friendships in her former home and will be sadly missed. She leaves no children.

STOPPED BY THE RAIN.

Yesterday's Ball Game Ended Before the Second Inning Had Been Played.

The game between the Cuban X Giants and the Asylum, yesterday afternoon, was stopped by rain in the first half of the second inning, when the score stood 5 to 2 in favor of the Asylum with three men on bases and two men out. The large crowd sought shelter under the tents and in the halls of the buildings, hoping to see a continuation of the game, but the rain fell in torrents, completely flooding the diamond and the contest had to be abandoned.

Trying to Revive the Hudson River Tunnel Project.

The bondholders of the Hudson River Tunnel Company are trying to reorganize the company on a basis that will provide new capital of about \$2,500,000 for the completion of the tunnel and the purchase of terminals in Jersey City and New York. Most of the bonds are held in England.

The tunnel has been excavated to a distance of 3,897 feet from the west end and 180 feet from the east end. There remain 1,687 feet of tunnel to be driven in order to connect the two shafts of the north heading.

A Noiseless Locomotive.

A noiseless locomotive, designed by William Buchanan, superintendent of motive power of the New York Central road, has been built at Schenectady. It is to be used for switching at the Grand Central depot. The locomotive is quick as well as noiseless in action.

First Special Excise Agent Appointed.

Alfred Turner, of Kingston, was, yesterday, appointed a special excise agent by Commissioner Lyman. This is the first appointment made. Mr. Turner is a well known publican politician, who has held many official positions.

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INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

The Chester-Goshen Ball Game—Charlie Tierney's Offer—Boys' Quartette—Prohibition Convention—Children's Lawn Party—Change of Children at the Home—Personal Notes.

From Our Regular Correspondent.

Goshen will put the following team in the field against Chester, to-morrow afternoon: O'Neal, c.; Tierney, p.; Corbett, 1st b.; Kieran, 2d b.; Landy, s.s.; with Kipp, Platt and Wardrop in the field and probably Lawler on 3d b. Manager Hunter, of Chester, is negotiating for a crack battery for the Chester team.

Charlie Tierney has received an offer from the Cooperstown base ball club. He will probably accept it and leave the latter part of the week to make arrangements.

The regular weekly meeting of the boys' double quartette was held at the residence of W. W. Whiddit, last evening.

The Prohibition convention will be held at the Court House, to-morrow.

The children of St. James' Sunday School will hold a lawn party on the church grounds, this evening.

The children at the Convalescent Home were returned to New York, this morning, and another party will arrive, to-morrow.

Joseph Ackerman, of New York city, is visiting his brother, J. W. Ackerman, in this village.

Mrs. Don L. Sturges, of Washington, D. C., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary A. Wright, in this village.

Trolley cars will run from Goshen to connect with Ontario and Western special excursion to Coney Island, Sunday next. Trolley cars will also meet excursion train on its return to convey excursionists back to the county seat.

MID-SUMMER DAY OUTING.

O. and W. Excursion to Coney Island, Sunday, Aug. 2nd.

Sunday next, August 2nd, the Ontario and Western will run a special excursion to Coney Island, at \$1 for round trip. Special train leaves Wickham avenue 8:30 a. m., and Main street 8:30. Leave Weehawken via steamer "Garden City" for Bay Ridge, where train will be taken via Culver line, arriving at the Island 11:20 a. m. Excursionists will have over six hours on the beach. Returning, leave the Island at 6 p. m. If stormy, excursion will be run on following Sunday.

Fatal Disease Among Cattle.

From the Port Jervis Union.

A violent disease has broken out among the cattle of Joseph Thompson, Merrie, wold Park, of the town of Fortburgh. Five cows and a steer have died of it within the past two weeks. The animals die in a few days after taking the disease. The State Board of Health has been notified.

An O. and W. Brakeman Injured.

James Blair, of Norwich, an O. and W. brakeman, while coupling cars at Randallville, late Saturday night, caught his foot between the railroad and a plank and could not extricate himself. The car wheels passed over his toes, crushing them so badly that amputation may be necessary.

An Insane Murderer at Large.

John Case, an inmate of the State Hospital for Criminal Insane at Matteawan, escaped from the institution, Saturday. It is supposed, by sealing the high fence near the kitchen where he was employed. He was sent to prison from Schenectady for killing a policeman.

To the Lock Up in the Patrol Wagon.

The patrol wagon was called out at 10:15 o'clock, this morning, to carry a plain drunk to the lock up. He was found in a helpless condition at the corner of North street and Wickham avenue.

A Child Enjoys

The pleasant flavor, gentle action and soothing effect of Syrup of Figs when in need of a laxative, and in the father or mother be restive or bilious, the most gratifying results follow its use, so that it is the best family remedy known and every family should have a bottle.

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Cokomat, A. H.	Ness, Herman
DeVitt, Loden	Smith, G. H.
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